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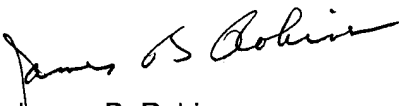
PETITION ACCORDING TO 37 CFR §1.78(a)(3)

Applicant hereby petitions the office to grant this application the filing priority benefit of US patent application 10/026,292, filed December 19th, 2001. The entire delay between the filing date the claim was due under 37 CFR §1.78(a)(2)(ii) and the date of this petition was unintentional. This petition is submitted in duplicate.

An amendment to the application to include a reference to the prior filed application appears in the accompanying response.

Please charge the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(t), and any other fees that may be due, to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account 11-0875.

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